

Transdisciplinary and collaborative research projects and Museum Collections as source material

EuroHealthHist Heritage and Public Engagement Working Group Skill
Sharing Event, 12-13 June, Medical History Museum, Gothenburg, Sweden

Programme

Wednesday June 11th

Venue: Gothenburg City Museum, Norra Hamngatan 12

17:00 Optional guided tour at Gothenburg City Museum – the temporary exhibition *Lillhagen in colour* – an exhibition about the art study program at the psychiatric hospital Lillhagens sjukhus

Thursday June 12th (Day 1)

Venue: Rydbergs rum, Oterdahlska huset, Spannmålgatan 9

8:00-8:30 Coffee and introductions

8:30 **Guided tour of the Medical History Museum – exhibitions and depot**

Robert Wallsson, Anna Stow and Lisa Sputnes Mouwitz (**Only on site**)

10:00-10:15 *Coffee and refreshments*

10:15-11:15 **Object oriented workshop with the museum's conservator Anna Stow (Only on site)**

11:15-12:45 Lunch together at own expense - a short walk to the restaurant *The Golden Days*

12:45 **Welcoming all participants and an introduction to the two days, practicalities and introductions** - Lisa Sputnes Mouwitz, Verusca Calabria and Christina Malathouni (**Hybrid**)

13:20 **Perspectives on Collaborative Research** – Mats Jönsson (**Hybrid**)

13:50 **The Mid-20th Century photo archives of the Sahlgrenska hospitals' directorate** – Robert Wallsson (**Hybrid**)

14:15 **Workable GLAM Collections for Collaborative Application in Academia: Omeka and ArcGIS Story Maps Case Studies** - Bogdan Trifunovic (**Hybrid**)

14:55 *Coffee and refreshments*

15:20 **Museum objects and historical collections as source material** - Oana Habor (**Hybrid**)

16:00 **Reflections on the day and practicalities** (**Hybrid**)

16:30 *End of day*

18:00 Optional dinner together at own expense (venue will be announced later)

Friday June 13th (Day 2)

Venue: Lövet, Sahlgrenska University Hospital, Bruna Stråket 5

9:00-9:45 **Optional guided tour of the Sahlgrenska hospital area, a historical site in transformation** – Robert Wallsson and Lisa Sputnes Mouwitz (**Only on site**)

9:45-10:00 *Coffee and refreshments*

10:00 **Material Evidence: the case of the Hunterian Museum** - Dawn Kemp (**Hybrid**)

10:40 **We can't just throw it away, right? Historical collections at Prague medical faculty** - Karel Černý (**Hybrid**)

11:20 Group discussion and sharing of experiences (Hybrid)

- *Sharing experiences and identifying challenges and opportunities when it comes to integrating non-textual material in academic research projects as well as collaborating transdisciplinary as productive partners.*

12:00-14:00 Lunch at own expense at the *Botanical Garden* - a short promenade from the hospital area

14:00 - 16:30 Working Group 5 matters (Hybrid)

- *WG5 event in Amsterdam; WG5 seminar series; opportunities for involvement across the EUROHealthHist (cross-Action initiatives: SIG Healthcare Architecture & Spaces; SIG Mental Health); information on members' collaborative projects.*

15:00 Coffee and refreshments

- *WG5 plans going forward; reporting back on planned outputs; suggestions for new outputs; setting up task and finish groups for new initiatives.*
- *Suggestions for WG5 events for 2026 and 2027.*

16:30 End of day

Our speakers:

Karel Černý, Prof. assoc., PhD. Institute for History of Medicine and Foreign Languages First Faculty of Medicine Charles University, Prague, Czech Republic

Oana Habor, Curator of the Cluj Medical School Museum within "Iuliu Hațieganu" University of Medicine and Pharmacy, Cluj-Napoca, Romania

Dawn Kemp, Director of Museums and Special Collections, Royal College of Surgeons of England London, United Kingdom

Mats Jönsson, Professor in Film Studies and initiator of GPS400: Centre for Collaborative Visual Research at University of Gothenburg, Sweden

Lisa Sputnes Mouwitz, Museum Director, Medical History Museum, Gothenburg, Sweden

Anna Stow, Conservator, Medical History Museum, Gothenburg, Sweden

Bogdan Trifunovic, Digital Projects Library Advisor, Čačak Public Library and Founder, KreativaLab (NGO), Belgrade, Serbia

Robert Wallsson, Museum Teacher, Medical History Museum, Gothenburg, Sweden

Verusca Calabria, WG5 Lead, PhD, Associate Professor of Mental Health Histories, School of Social Sciences, Nottingham Trent University, United Kingdom

Christina Malathouni, WG5 co-Lead, PhD, Senior Lecturer (Associate Professor), School of Architecture, University of Liverpool, United Kingdom

Barry Doyle, Cost Action EuroHealthHist Chair, Professor of Health History, University of Manchester, United Kingdom

Practical information

Venues:

Optional tour on June 11th: Gothenburg City Museum, Norra Hamngatan 12

<https://maps.app.goo.gl/Do1fFDgWpcipMgek9>

Day 1

Meeting: Oterdahlska huset, Spannmålgatan 9, Rydbergs rum

(The museum and meeting venue for day 1 is in the same building and situated in the city centre)

<https://maps.app.goo.gl/KPkDCM4cTdeZ14Pz7>

At the bus and tram stop: Lilla Bommen

Lunch: Golden Days, Södra Hamngatan 31

<https://maps.app.goo.gl/yrKqchGFdHsfDMS9>

Dinner: TBA

Day 2

Meeting: Sahlgrenska University Hospital, Bruna Stråket 5, Lövet

<https://maps.app.goo.gl/QxNPHjX6jqCQW2uFA>

At the bus and tram stop: Sahlgrenska Huvudentré

Lunch: Botaniska paviljongen, Carl Skottbergs gata 22 c

<https://maps.app.goo.gl/G8XtSt3dGJdpUycN7>

Public transport:

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Timetable- and ticket app:

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